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ANTICIPATED CLASSIFICATION OF THIS APPLICATION

Class:

Subclass:

PRIOR APPLICATION

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To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

This is a Request for filing a continuation application under 37 CFR 1.60, of allowed co-pending U.S. patent application serial no. 09/415,965, filed October 12, 1999 for an invention entitled "ADAPTIVE CLOCKING MECHANISM FOR DIGITAL VIDEO RECORDER".

- (X) Enclosed is a copy of the latest inventor-signed prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the latest inventor-signed prior application as originally filed, and further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.
- (X) The inventorship in this application is the same as in the previously filed application, and the prior application was assigned of record to Sony Corp.
- (X) The filing fee is calculated below:

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|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------|-------|
| Basic Fee | | | \$750 | \$750 |
| Total Claims | 25 - 20 = | 5 × | \$18 | \$ 90 |
| Independent Claims | 3 - 3 = | 0 × | \$84 | \$ 0 |
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- (X) A check in the amount of \$840 is enclosed.
- (X) Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a continuation of U.S. patent application serial no. 09/415,965, filed October 12, 1999 for an invention entitled "ADAPTIVE CLOCKING MECHANISM FOR DIGITAL VIDEO RECORDER", which claims priority from U.S. provisional application serial no. 60/104,250, filed October 14, 1998, priority to both of which is claimed."
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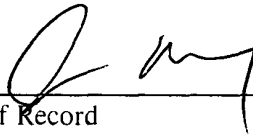
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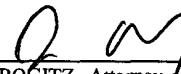
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